IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO WESTERN DIVISION

THE STANDARD REGISTER COMPAN	Υ,)	
Plaintiff,))	Case No. 3:12-cv-068
vs.)	
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,))	Judge Timothy S. Black
Defendant.)	
	ORDER	

The Joint Motion for Stay filed by the plaintiff Standard Register Company and the defendant United States of America is GRANTED.

This case is stayed until the United States Court of Appeals for the Sixth Circuit issues a decision in <u>United States v. Quality Stores</u>, <u>Inc.</u>, Case No. 10-1563. That case involves the same issue raised by plaintiff in the Complaint, *i.e.*, whether severance pay is subject to FICA tax, and may become controlling precedent. After the Sixth Circuit issues a decision in <u>Quality Stores</u>, the parties shall file a joint status report within 30 days, advising the Court as to what further proceedings, if any, are necessary in the present case. The defendant United States need not file an answer or otherwise respond to the Complaint until 30 days after the lifting of the stay.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: April 27, 2012	s/ Timothy S. Black
	TIMOTHY S. BLACK
	UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE